

Regular Session, 2009

ACT No. 129

HOUSE BILL NO. 207

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS AND SENATOR THOMPSON

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 40:1006(C), relative to the Prescription Monitoring Program
3 Act; to provide the Louisiana Board of Pharmacy authority to exempt certain
4 dispensers from the reporting of prescription monitoring information; to provide the
5 board authorization to rescind exemptions; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 40:1006(C) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

8 §1006. Reporting of prescription monitoring information

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10 C. The board may issue a waiver to a dispenser who is unable to submit
11 prescription information by electronic means. The waiver shall state the format and
12 frequency with which the dispenser shall submit the required information. The board
13 may issue an exemption from the reporting requirement to a dispenser whose
14 practice activities are inconsistent with the intent of the program. The board may
15 rescind any previously issued exemption without the need for an informal or formal
16 hearing.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____